Docket No.

250386US2

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Satoshi INABA, et al.

FILED:

SERIAL NO: 10/799,780

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FOR:

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THE SAME

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Petition for Extension of Time (2-Months); Letter Submitting Replacement Drawings; Additional documents filed herewith: Replacement Drawing (1-Sheet)

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

TFGLAIMS.	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS		RATE		CALCULATIONS
-TOTAL	20	MINUS	20	0	х	\$50	=	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	4	MINUS	4	0	x	\$200	=	\$0.00
APPLICATION SIZE	·	MINUS	100	0 (each addtl. 50 sheets)	х	\$250	=	\$0.00
		☐ MULTII	PLE DEPENDE	NT CLAIMS	+	\$360	=	\$0.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATION						NS	\$0.00	
		☐ Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity					\$0.00	
						ТОТ	AL	\$0.00

- $\square$  A check in the amount of **\$0.00** is attached.
- Credit card payment form is attached to cover the fees in the amount of \$450.00
- Please charge any additional Fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check or credit card payment is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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## LETTER SUBMITTING REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEET(S)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Alexandria, VA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the below indicated communication, the following drawing sheets are submitted herewith:

1 Replacement Drawing Sheets	☐ New Drawing Sheets					
Official Action dated November 10, 2005						
Notice of Allowance/Issue Fee dated						
Other dated						
The changes and/or modifications made include the following:						
Fig. 29 has been designated as Prior Art.						

Respectfully Submitted,

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